

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	}
Jeff S. Eder	) Examiner: Hyung Sough
Serial No. 10/071,164	) Art Unit: 3628
Filed: February 7, 2002	) }
For: A BUSINESS CONTEXT LAYER	) } )

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendments Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, the Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments.

Examiner: Hyung Sough

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